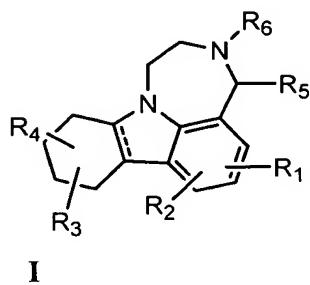


**Amendments to the Claims**

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions and listings of claims in the application:

**Listing of Claims**

1. (Currently amended) A compound of the formula:



wherein:

R<sub>1</sub> and R<sub>2</sub> are each, independently, hydrogen, alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms, cycloalkyl of 3 to 7 carbon atoms, -CH<sub>2</sub>-cycloalkyl of 3 to 7 carbon atoms, alkoxy of 1-6 carbon atoms, halogen, fluorinated alkyl of 1 to 6 carbon atoms, -CN, -NH-SO<sub>2</sub>-alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms, -SO<sub>2</sub>-NH-alkyl of 1-6 carbon atoms, alkyl amide of 1-6 carbon atoms, amino, alkylamino of 1-6 carbon atoms, dialkylamino of 1-6 carbon atoms per alkyl moiety, fluorinated alkoxy of 1-6 carbon atoms, acyl of 2-7 carbon atoms, or phenoyl or thiophenoyl;

R<sub>3</sub> and R<sub>4</sub> are each, independently, hydrogen, C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl or cycloalkyl of 3 to 7 carbon atoms;

R<sub>5</sub> is hydrogen or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl;

R<sub>6</sub> is hydrogen or C<sub>1</sub>-C<sub>6</sub> alkyl; and

wherein the dashed line indicates an optional double bond;

or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof[[,]] .

2. (Currently amended) A compound of Claim 1 which is ~~1,2,3,4,9,10,11,12-Octahydro-8H-cyclohepta[b][1,4]diazepino[6,7,1-h]indole~~ 1,2,3,4,9,10,11,12-octahydro-8H-cyclohepta[b][1,4]diazepino[6,7,1-h]indole or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

3. (Currently amended) A compound of Claim 1 which is  
~~1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,12,12a Decahydro-7bH-cyclohepta[b][1,4]diazepino[6,7,1-hi]indole~~  
~~1,2,3,4,8,9,10,11,12,12a-decahydro-7bH-cyclohepta[b][1,4]diazepino[6,7,1-hi]indole~~ or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

4. (Original) A pharmaceutical composition comprising a pharmaceutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, and a pharmaceutically acceptable carrier or excipient.

5. (Original) A method of treatment of obsessive-compulsive disorder in a mammal, the method comprising administering to a mammal in need thereof a pharmaceutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

6. (Original) A method of treatment of depression in a mammal, the method comprising administering to a mammal in need thereof a pharmaceutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.

7. (Original) A method of treatment of anxiety in a mammal, the method comprising administering to a mammal in need thereof a pharmaceutically effective amount of a compound of Claim 1, or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof.